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In re Application: Charles W. Paul

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ASAMENDMENTCommissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office action, paper No. 2, mailed September 18, 2002, for which a response is due March 18, 2003 by virtue of the concurrently filed request for a three (3) month extension of time.

Please amend the application as follows:

In the claims

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Claim 7 (amended). The adhesive of claim 1 wherein the adhesive comprises from about 15% to about 35% by weight of at the epoxidized block copolymer, from about 5% to about 15% by weight of at least one saturated block copolymer and from about 30% to about 60% by weight of at least one hydrocarbon resin and from about 3 to about 15% of a rosin derived mono-ol, up to about 25% of a rosin and/or rosin ester, up to about 30% of a mineral oil, and up to about 2% of an antioxidant.

A2
Claim 11 (new). The adhesive of claim 1 comprising an epoxidized block copolymer, a saturated block copolymer, a rosin derived alcohol and a photoinitiator.

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